

***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

Applicant: Takeharu KURAMOUCHI et al.  
Title: MANUFACTURE OF FUEL CELL  
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Examiner: Angela J. Martin  
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**LETTER REGARDING PRIORITY CLAIMS**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

The Applicant sincerely appreciates the allowance of this application. The Examiner's attention is directed to the highlighted corrections on the Notice of Allowability, PTOL-37, in which it is expressly and apparently inadvertently erroneously indicated that the priority documents have not been received.

The priority documents were received in this national stage application from the International Bureau in June 2, 2006 (copies enclosed of stamped priority documents).

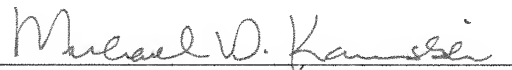
Therefore, applicant requests acknowledgement of the claim for priority and a Supplemental Notice of Allowability be forwarded to the undersigned attorney of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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